

THANKS TO YOU

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Who Make CityStuff Come Alive

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It's Time to Get Your Carlsbad Rap On ... CityStuff 2006 is Here!

We call our newsletter **Thanks to YOU!** because it truly is thanks to each of you that CityStuff began in 2002 and has continued to gain momentum as it improves and expands.

WE ♥ OUR SPONSORS

We couldn't keep the program going without generous corporate contributions, which help fund the production of our fun, hands-on materials. This year, Allied Waste/Palomar Transfer Station, Shea Homes, McMillin Companies and Waste Management have continued their sponsorship while Nasco Modesto donated a portion of their costs on Lesson Five art supplies. Thank you!

"All of the CityStuff business partners care about Carlsbad and its future," explains J.A. Executive Vice President Marion Paul. "Shea Homes and McMillin companies sponsor the Junior Achievement classroom materials and they are integral to making this program possible."

OUR VOLUNTEERS TAKE THE CAKE

Along with several of his Shea colleagues, Bill Watson is a classroom volunteer. He's a totally involved instructor whose excitement transfers to his students. Last spring, he brought in actual blueprints to share with his eager kids. Equally popular was the cake he brought to celebrate his

students' CityStuff graduation. Yes, Bill, you certainly know the way to a kid's heart!

So do our other volunteers. Last year, Gini Craig used fortune cookies to enliven the restaurant activity. Others solicited classroom appearances by restaurant managers who spiced up their presentations with breadsticks and pizza. Many volunteers say goodbye to their beloved kids with treats.



A DELICIOUS INTRODUCTION TO CITY GOVERNMENT

Treats are the icing on the cake, but what really matters is the way volunteers reach out from the heart. Your dedication pays off, say the principals and teachers who welcome us into their schools. Here is what some have told us.

"Very hands-on ... students really like the program. Great presenters. Enhances our current social studies program. Makes connections for students as to the importance that city government plays in their lives. Lots of freebies for the students (they like that). Parents invited to participate ... connection between home and school ... great!"

— Jose de Anda, Principal,
Buena Vista Elementary

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INTRODUCING STUDENTS TO THEIR CARLSBAD WORLD

"Thanks for bringing this to us! The students really enjoy [CityStuff.] All activities are appropriate for third grade and engage the students. Thank you all for being organized and well prepared."

— Eunice Martin, Teacher,
Carrillo Elementary

"This program has been a delight. The presenters were well prepared, the activities are engaging and the correlation with State standards is 'spot on.' I met presenters who were new to the program and who were immediately successful. CityStuff is here to stay!"

— Bob Chrisman, Principal,
Hope Elementary

Principal Chrisman is right: CityStuff is here to stay – thanks to all of you!

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A REMINDER TO VOLUNTEERS

The Training is March 15, 9 am-Noon.
Cole Library Community Room
1250 Carlsbad Village Drive.
Questions: Call (760) 439-3716 or
email wrte4fn@cox.net.